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Title: SECURE COMMUNICATIONS FOR A CURRENCY HANDLING  
MACHINE

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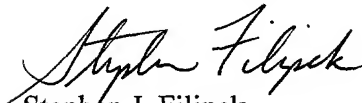
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